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REPLY TO
ATTN OF: ERD:BKT:7217

SUBJECT: Waste Removal at OU 10 IHSSs

TO:

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Environmental and Waste Management
EG&G Rocky Flats, Inc.

The following IHSSs at OU 10 will require the removal of waste prior to conducting the RFI/RI field work:

- o IHSSs 170 and 174 (PU&D Storage Area)
- o IHSS 176 (S&W Contractor Storage Yard)
- o IHSS 213 (904 Pad)
- o IHSS 214 (750 Pad)
- o IHSS 210 (Building 980 Cargo Container)

Wastes currently stored at IHSS 170 include barrels, drums, cargo boxes, spent batteries, empty dumpsters, dumpsters filled with metal shavings coated with lathe coolant, drums of spent solvents (paint thinners) and waste oils. IHSS 174 is currently used to store empty drums, while IHSS 176 is currently used for storage of surplus raw materials for use by contractors in construction or maintenance projects. IHSS 210 is currently used as a 90-day storage unit. Both IHSSs 210 and 213 are currently used to store saltcrete and pondcrete.

The EG&G OU 10 Project Manager has stated that the earliest date for initiating RFI/RI field work is May, 1993. However, since there is currently no funding for OU 10 in FY93, it is possible that RFI/RI field work may not begin until October, 1994.

We request that EG&G initiate planning immediately for the waste removal at IHSSs 170, 174, 176 and 210. The waste should be removed, transported and stored according to all applicable statutes, regulations and DOE Orders. Furthermore, the removal should occur in a timely manner so as not to impact IAG milestones. The Draft Phase I RFI/RI Report is due to CDH and EPA on August 25, 1994. We further request that EG&G provide an analysis of the potential of material removal at IHSS 170, 174, 176 and 210 to DOE/RFO by August 3, 1992. Include in this analysis both a review of current funding and budget requests to assure plans are underway to support these movements and an assessment of alternative sites that may accept the relocated activities. Finally, it should be verified and reported to DOE/RFO if the current waste storage at IHSSs 170, 174, 176 and 210 is included in the RFP Part B Permit under the CHWA.

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The disposition of wastes currently stored at IHSSs 213 and 214 is problematic at the present time. DOE/RFO ERD is currently seeking a solution with CDH and EPA. Possible solutions include transferring these IHSSs from OU 10 to OU 4 or placing them in the RFP Part B RCRA Permit as active units. We will keep you informed of all developments regarding these two IHSSs.

Questions or concerns should be directed to Bruce Thatcher of my staff at ext. 3532.


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